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SUBJECT: PRESS SCENARIO

1. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1976

3:50 PM AIRPORT ARRIVAL. PRESS ON SECRETARY'S PLANE
EXITS BY REAR DOOR. CIRCLES TO LEFT AROUND TAIL OF PLANE
TO PRESS AREA. MET BY PRESS ATTACHE JOHN DE WITT.
CEREMONIES: NATIONAL ANTHEM, REVIEW OF HONOR GUARD,
MEETING OF BRAZILIAN AND U.S. OFFICIALS. MAINLY PHOTO
OPPORTUNITIES.

DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN FUNSETH WILL BE MET BY PAO LYLE
COPMANN AND WILL LATER DRIVE WITH HIM IN MOTORCADE.

AFTER CEREMONIES, PRESS WILL MOVE INTO ROOM RESERVED
FOR PRESS IN ADJOINING PAVILION -- VIP ROOM NO. 2 -- AND WAIT FOR
SECRETARY TO ENTER AND MAKE ARRIVAL STATEMENT. INTERPRETER DESEABRA
WILL PROVIDE AS REQUIRED A CONSECUTIVE TRANSLATION. (NO. Q. AND A.
EXPTECTED). WHEN SECRETARY LEAVES PRESS ROOM, MEMBERS OF PRESS
WISHING TO COVER NEXT EVENT (SECRETARY'S CALL ON
FOREIGN MINISTER) WILL MOVE QUICKLY FROM ROOM
TO PARKING AREA AND ENTER PRESS BUS, WHICH WILL DEPART
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IMMEDIATELY, PRECEDING THE MOTORCADE, WITH

POLICE ESCORT, FOR THE FOREIGN MINISTRY.

PRESS WISHING TO GO TO HOTEL NACIONAL TO FILE (PRESS CENTER AT HOTEL HAS FACILITIES) WILL MEET TY KEMP AT STREET SIDE OF ROOM WHO WILL HAVE SIGN "TO PRESS CENTER." HE WILL ESCORT THEM TO MICROBUS WAITING IN PARKING AREA AND PROCEED TO HOTEL. (THESE NEWSMEN WILL PROBABLY NOT HAVE TIME TO COVER NEXT EVENT, SECRETARY'S CALL ON FOREIGN MINISTER.)

NOTE: INFORMATION OFFICER JEFF SANDEL WILL BE ON HAND TO RECEIVE THE SECRETARY'S SPEECH FOR THE ITAMARATY DINNER - UNLESS IT IS TRANSMITTED TO EMBASSY EARLIER - AND RUSH IT TO THE EMBASSY FOR WHATEVER TRANSLATION OR PROCESSING IS REQUIRED.

2. 5:00 PM . SECRETARY MEETS FOREIGN MINISTER AT FOREIGN MINISTRY ("ITAMARATY")

PRESS BUS GOES DIRECTLY TO FOREIGN MINISTRY, STOPPING AT SIDE ("PROTOCOL") ENTRANCE. PRESS GOES THROUGH LOBBY TO MAIN STAIRWAY AND AWAITS SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL BESIDE MAIN ENTRANCE. (PRESS MAY ALSO WAIT OUTSIDE MAIN ENTRANCE OR ON MEZZANINE AT TOP OF MAIN STAIRWAY.)

AFTER SECRETARY HAS GONE UPSTAIRS TO FOREIGN MINISTER'S OFFICE, PRESS TAKES WAITING POSITION OUTSIDE FOREIGN MINISTER'S OFFICE. DOORS OPEN AND PRESS ENTERS (PROBABLY IN SMALL GROUPS) FOR PHOTOS.

PRESS WISHING TO RETURN TO HOTEL AT THAT JUNCTURE LEAVES BUILDING BY ROUTE USED IN ENTERING AND REBOARD PRESS BUS. MEMBERS OF PRESS WISHING TO AWAIT SECRETARY'S DEPARTURE WILL RETURN TO WAITING POSITION OUTSIDE FOREIGN MINISTER'S OFFICE. (THIS MEETING MAY CONTINUE UNTIL 6:15 PM.) OTHER TRANSPORTATION TO HOTEL WILL AWAIT PRESS WHO CHOOSE TO GO DIRECTLY TO HOTEL AND THEREBY MISS THE NEXT STOP - SECRETARY'S VISIT TO THE AMERICAN EMBASSY. TRANSPORTATION WILL TAKE THOSE AMERICAN JOURNALISTS WHO CHOOSE TO COVER THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, LEAVING ITAMARATY SIDE ("PROTOCOL")

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ENTRANCE AT 6:05 PM.

3. 6:30 PM SECRETARY'S VISIT TO AMERICAN EMBASSY (TENTATIVE)

(THIS IS NOT PART OF THE OFFICIAL SCHEDULE.)

SECRETARY WILL STOP BY EMBASSY AND MAY MAKE INFORMAL REMARKS TO EMBASSY EMPLOYEES. FOR THOSE AMERICAN PRESS AT THE

HOTEL WISHING TO COVER, TRANSPORTATION WILL LEAVE THE PRESS CENTER REAR EXIT AT 1805 HOURS AND PROCEED TO THE EMBASSY. FOR THOSE AMERICAN PRESS STILL AT ITAMARATY WHO WISH TO COVER, TRANSPORTATION WILL LEAVE THE SIDE ENTRANCE ("PROTOCOL") AT 6:05 PM AND PROCEED TO THE EMBASSY. PRESS WILL ENTER THROUGH FRONT ENTRANCE AND TAKE POSITION TO THE "STAGE RIGHT" OF THE SMALL PLATFORM LOCATED NEAR THE FRONT ENTRANCE. THE PRESS WILL RETURN TO VEHICLES AND THEN TO THE HOTEL IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE SECRETARY DEPARTS.

4. 9:00 PM DINNER IN HONOR OF SECRETARY AT FOREIGN MINISTRY

(DINNER IS "BLACK-TIE", BUT HIS IS NOT REQUIRED OF PRESS, WHO SHOULD WEAR COATS AND TIES. PRESS IS INVITED TO BUFFET DINNER IN FOREIGN MINISTRY RESTAURANT.)

PRESS BUS DEPARTS FROM "PRESS CENTER" (REAR ENTRANCE) OF HOTEL NATIONAL) AT 8:30 PM AND MOVES TO FOREIGN MINISTRY'S SIDE ENTRANCE ("PROTOCOL"). PRESS GOES THROUGH LOBBY TO MAIN STAIRWAY AND TAKES POSITION UPSTAIRS BEHIND VELVET ROPES NEAR RECEIVING LINE, FOR PICTURE COVERAGE.

AFTER RECEIVING LINE BREAKS UP, SECRETARY AND GUESTS GO TO ROOM FOR COCKTAILS (NO PHOTOS).

PRESS MAY EITHER GO TO RESTAURANT FOR BUFFET (GO DOWN TO MEZZANINE AND CROSS OVER TO ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, THEN UP TO EIGHTS FLOOR), OR REMAIN TO TAKE PHOTOS IN BANQUET ROOM AFTER GUESTS ARE SEATED, BUT BEFORE THEY START EATING. THESE PRESS MEMBERS THEN PROCEED TO RESTAURANT.

BEFORE THE AFTER-DINNER SPEECHES, PRESS IN RESTAURANT
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WILL BE NOTIFIED AND MAY COME TO BANQUET ROOM FOR PHOTOS. PRESS WAITS OUTSIDE DURING SPEECHMAKING, EXCEPT THAT PHOTOGRAPHERS MAY GET CHANCE TO COME IN SMALL GROUPS, FOR PHOTOS AND TV COVERAGE.

AFTER SPEECHES, PRESS RETURNS TO PRESS BUS WAITING AT SIDE ENTRANCE FOR RETURN TO HOTEL NACIONAL FOR OVERNIGHT.

5. 10:00 AM. SECRETARY MEETS WITH PRESIDENT GEISEL AT PLANALTO PALACE

(NOTE: CUSTOM REQUIRES THAT ALL MEN ENTERING THE PLANALTO WEAR COAT AND TIE. PLEASE DISPLAY YOUR IDENTIFICATION.)

PRESS BUS WILL DEPART "PRESS CENTER" EXIT OF HOTEL

NACIONAL AT 9:30 AM FOR PLANALTO PALACE. PRESS ENTERS BY MAIN ENTRANCE ON THE GROUND FLOOR (NOT CEREMONIAL RAMP) AND IS ESCORTED TO THE ELEVATORS AND UP TO THE THIRD FLOOR TO A HOLDING POSITION, OPPOSITE THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT. THE PRESS WILL THEN BE ADMITTED TO THE OFFICE FOR PHOTOS, EITHER AS THE SECRETARY ENTERS THE ROOM, OR AFTER HE HAS ENTERED AND IS SEATED WITH HIS HOSTS.

PRESS WILL RETURN TO THE HOLDING POSITION.

TRANSPORTATION WILL AWAIT THE PRESS UNTIL THE SECRETARY'S CALL ENDS AND MOVE THEM TO HOTEL NACIONAL AND/OR FOREIGN MINISTRY.

6. 11:00 AM. SECRETARY MEETS WITH GENERAL GOLBERY AT PLANALTO PALACE.

PRESS CANNOT BE ADMITTED, FOR LACK OF SPACE. USIS HAS BEEN PROMISED AN OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE PHOTOS BEFORE THE TALKS BEGIN AND WILL MAKE PRINTS AVAILABLE AT THE PRESS CENTER.

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7. 12:00 WORKING SESSION AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY.

MICROBUS DEPARTS HOTEL NACIONAL "PRESS CENTER" EXIT AT 11:30 A.M. FOR FOREIGN MINISTRY. PRESS ENTERS THROUGH SIDE ("PROTOCOL") ENTRANCE, CROSSES LOBBY AND WAITS SECRETARY AT FOOT OF STAIRS OR

ON MEZZANINE. THOSE WISHING TO DO SO CAN AWAIT THE SECRETARY OUTSIDE BY THE MAIN FRONT ENTRANCE, ENTERING BUILDING BEFORE OR AFTER HIS PARTY.

SECRETARY ENTERS AND EITHER TAKES STAIRS OR FOREIGN MINISTER'S ELEVATOR TO FOREIGN MINISTER'S OFFICE. FOREIGN MINISTER THEN EITHER BEGINS WORKING SESSION IN HIS OFFICE OR, MORE PROBABLY, MOVES TO OTHER OFFICE WITH MORE ROOM FOR WORKING GROUP. PRESS MOVES TO AREA OUTSIDE APPROPRIATE OFFICE, IS INVITED IN, IN SMALL GROUPS, FOR PHOTOS. PRESS BUSS FOR RETURN TO HOTEL WILL WAIT AT SIDE ENTRANCE. AT 1:15 P.M. THE WORKING SESSION IS FOLLOWED BY A PRIVATE LUNCHEON AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY. THIS IS NOT A COVERAGE OPPORTUNITY.

8. 4:00 P.M. CALL ON PRESIDENT OF THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES, CELIO DE OLIVEIRA BORJA, AT CONGRESS. PRESS BUS WILL LEAVE "PRESS CENTER" REAR EXIT OF HOTEL NACIONAL AT 3:30 P.M. ON ARRIVAL AT LOWER LEVEL, PRESS ENTERS MAIN LOBBY TO AWAIT SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL AT CONFIDENTIAL

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THE MAIN LOBBY ENTRANCE.

PRESS WILL TRAIL SECRETARY'S PARTY UP STAIRWAY TO THE RIGHT, AND ALONG CORRIDOR AS FAR AS THE DOOR TO THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE CHAMBER. THEY WAIT OUTSIDE UNTIL PRINCIPALS ARE SEATED, THEN MAY ENTER FOR PHOTOS. AFTERWARDS THEY WAIT IN HALL OUTSIDE OFFICE DOOR.

9. 4:20 P.M. CALL ON PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL SENATE, JOSE DE MAGALHAES PINTO AT CONGRESS: PRESS TRAILS SECRETARY'S PARTY FROM DEPUTIES' SIDE THROUGH CORRIDORS INTO ADJOINING SENATE BUILDING. THEY WAIT OUTSIDE THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THEN MAY ENTER FOR PHOTOS. AFTERWARDS PRESS IS ESCORTED TO PRESS BUS WAITING OUTSIDE MAIN LOBBY (LOWER LEVEL) AND BUS DEPARTS FOR NEXT VISIT.

10. 4:45 P.M. CALL ON PRESIDENT OF THE SUPREME FEDERAL TRIBUNAL, DJACI ALVES FALCAO, AT THE SUPREME FEDERAL TRIBUNAL.

PRESS BUS STOPS NEAR MAIN ENTRANCE AND PRESS AWAITS SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL IN LOBBY. IT THEN TRAILS SECRETARY'S PARTY UPSTAIRS TO THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE AND WAITS OUTSIDE UNTIL ADMITTED FOR PHOTOS. PRESS THEN RETURNS BY SAME ROUTE TO PRESS BUS, WHICH DEPARTS IMMEDIATELY ACROSS THE WAY TO PLANALTO PALACE. A MICROBUS WILL RETURN TO HOTEL NACIONAL TO TAKE ANY PRESS NOT WISHING TO COVER NEXT EVENT.

11. 5:00 P.M. CALL ON MINISTER OF FINANCE, HENRIQUE SIMONSEN, AND HEAD OF PLANNING SECRETARIAT, JOAO PAULO DOS REIS VELLOSO, AT THE PLANALTO PALACE.

ENTRANCE IS THE SAME AS THE OTHER PLANALTO PALACE EVENTS. PRESS CANNOT BE ADMITTED TO ROOM ON THE FOURTH FLOOR FOR LACK OF SPACE, BUT THERE WILL BE A PHOTO OPPORTUNITY, IN THE HALLWAY, AFTER THE MEETING ENDS. PRESS BUS THEN RETURNS TO HOTEL.

12. 8:30 P.M. SECRETARY'S RECEPTION IN HONOR OF FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. AZEREDO DA SILVEIRA, AT AMBASSADOR CRIMMINS' RESIDENCE.

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PRESS ACCOMPANYING THE SECRETARY ARE INVITED GUESTS. DRESS: DARK SUIT. (NO PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES).

THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE IS SOME DISTANCE OUTSIDE TOWN, SO THE PRESS BUS WILL LEAVE THE HOTEL NACIONAL PRESS CENTER REAR PROMPTLY AT 8:00 P.M. GUESTS WILL ENTER FRONT ENTRANCE OF RESIDENCE. ALL GUESTS MAY PASS THROUGH THE RECEIVING LINE WHICH WILL INCLUDE THE SECRETARY, THE FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. SILVEIRA. A BUFFET WILL BE SERVED LATER IN THE EVENING. (USIS PHOTOGRAPHERS WILL COVER THE RECEIVING LINE, AND PRINTS WILL BE AVAILABLE LATER AT THE PRESS CENTER.)

TRANSPORTATION, BY PRESS BUS OR MICROBUS, BACK TO THE HOTEL NACIONAL WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE END OF THE RECEPTION.

13. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1976

9:30 A.M. SIGNING OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE, IN FOREIGN MINISTRY AUDITORIUM.

PRESS BUS DEPARTS HOTEL NACIONAL REAR EXIT, NEAR PRESS CENTER, AT 9:00 A.M. BUS ARRIVES AT SIDE ("PROTOCOL") ENTRANCE TO FOREIGN MINISTRY. PRESS CROSSES LOBBY TO MAIN STAIRWAY AND GOES DOWNSTAIRS TO AUDITORIUM. THE PRESS POSITION IS THE FRONT BLOCK OF SEATS FARTEST TO THE RIGHT (FACING THE DAIS). PHOTOGRAPHERS MAY TAKE POSITION IN THE SPACE DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF THIS BLOCK OF SEATS. DURING THE SIGNING, THEY WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE INTO THE OPEN SPACE IN FRONT OF THE CENTER OF THE DAIS TO TAKE CLOSE-UPS. THE PRESS CONFERENCE WILL BE OPENED BY THE FOREIGN MINISTER, WHO WILL INTRODUCE THE SECRETARY. QUESTIONS WILL BE ASKED OVER MICROPHONES POSITIONED IN THE AISLE. SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION IN ENGLISH AND PORTUGUESE

WILL BE PROVIDED (VIA HEADPHONES). AROUND 60 BRAZILIAN AND FOREIGN NEWSMEN ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND. AT CONCLUSION OF PRESS CONFERENCE (ESTIMATED 1030 HOURS), PRESS WILL MOVE BY SAME ROUTE, BACK TO PRESS BUS WAITING AT SIDE ENTRANCE AND DEPART FOR HOTEL.

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14. 4:00 P.M. SOCCER GAME

THE SECRETARY WILL EXTEND HIS BRASILIA VISIT IN ORDER TO ATTEND A "FUTEBOL" GAME WHICH WILL DELAY DEPARTURE UNTIL LATE AFTERNOON OR EARLY EVENING. ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE TO PERMIT PRESS COVERAGE OF THE EVENT FOR THOSE JOURNALISTS ELECTING TO DO SO. TRANSPORTATION WILL BE ARRANGED TO MOVE THE PRESS FROM THE SOCCER GAME DIRECTLY TO THE AIRPORT, AND FROM THE HOTEL TO THE AIRPORT.

15. LATE AFTERNOON OR EARLY EVENING DEPARTURE

PRESS MOVES THROUGH VIP ROOM NO. 2 (THE ONE USED DURING THE ARRIVAL), TURNS RIGHT AT REAR OF BUILDING, CROSSES BEHIND RED CARPET AND ENTERS PRESS AREA ON THE TARMAC TO COVER THE DEPARTURE CEREMONIES. (ACCOMPANYING PRESS MUST BE ON AIRCRAFT BEFORE THE SECRETARY BOARDS) THEN ACCOMPANYING PRESS LOADS ONTO AIRCRAFT, REAR DOOR FOR DEPARTURE. (IT IS NOT EXPECTED THAT THE SECRETARY WILL TAKE QUESTIONS FROM THE PRESS NOR MAKE ANY PUBLIC STATEMENTS, AS HE WILL HAVE DONE THIS AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE.)

(1) ITAMARATY IS PREPARING CREDENTIAL BADGES FOR PRESS ON SECRETARY'S PLANE. THEY SHOULD BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.

(2) BROCHURES WITH PRESS ITINERARY WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT AIRPORT ON ARRIVAL. MORE DETAILED PRESS BOOKS WILL BE IN HOTEL ROOMS.

(3) RIO DE JANEIRO -- FINAL ARRANGEMENTS ARE NOT YET MADE BUT DETAILS WILL BE PROVIDED AS THEY ARE LEARNED. TRANSPORTATION FOR THE ARRIVAL, DEPARTURE AND OTHER MOVES WILL BE PROVIDED. A FULLY EQUIPPED PRESS CENTER WILL BE OPERATING AT THE SHERATON HOTEL DURING THE RIO VISIT.

(4) USIS/PANAM HOSPITALITY BAR WILL BE OPEN IN THE BRASILIA PRESS CENTER ON FEBRUARY 19 FROM 6:00 P.M. TO 9:00 P.M.
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